

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor: Bhavesh B. Bhatt  
Assignee: NEC Electronics America, Inc.  
Title: EFFICIENTLY STORING ELECTRONIC PROGRAM GUIDE  
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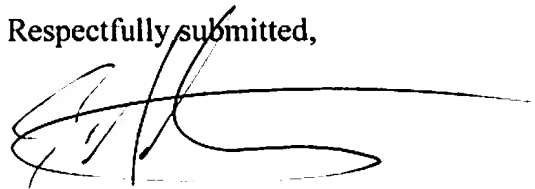
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a two-month extension of time within which to respond outstanding Office Action dated August 28, 2008, such extension allowing the undersigned until December 28, 2008 to respond.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 502306.

Respectfully submitted,



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